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**COURTS CONVENE.**  
Circuit Court—First Monday in February, June and October.  
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County Court—Quarterly Term, convenes second Monday in January, April, July and October.

Wednesday, February 1, 1922.

About all the League of Nations has done lately is to announce that it is in debt about \$100,000 because very few of the fifty-one nations who joined it have paid their dues; England being among the number.

When people or nations will not pay their dues to any lodge or society to which they belong, they certainly do not think much of it or regard membership therein as being of little value.

Snow fall in this section thus far this winter has been beyond ordinary. The recent snow fall in the East and New England is the heaviest in many years, in many places it reached two feet in depth. The fall of snow last week here showed a depth of six inches at daylight and it is estimated that fully ten inches fell as it melted constantly while falling.

We hear reports that the five cent loaf "has come back" in many places, Crossville is not one of them. The best we can do here is two splendid loaves for 25 cents. Let's hope that odd nickel will be put in the "nine hole" at no distant date.

#### LAW ENFORCEMENT GROWING AGAINST WHISKEY

The office of the prohibition commissioner, Washington, is encouraged over the rising tide of public opinion in support of the enforcement of the XVIIIth Amendment and federal laws enforcing it.

Michigan lumber companies have appointed deputy sheriffs from their own men for the purpose of preventing bootlegging. The companies pay the salaries and expenses of these deputy sheriffs.

In Delaware, the commissioner reports, the press of the state solidly and aggressively back of law enforcement. Delaware now has the record of being the driest state in the Union.

Ninety percent of the cases for liquor violations tried in Texas have resulted in convictions.

From Connecticut comes the report that the newspapers are giving aggressive support to law enforcement.

All of the county sheriffs in Utah have just been in a conference with the prohibition director of that state and have mapped out a very aggressive law enforcement campaign. Complementary to this, the Utah courts have very perceptibly stiffened penalties for those convicted of liquor law violations.

In Arkansas many prominent citizens have volunteered to assist the law enforcement officers. Judge Wade of Iowa, made the announcement that "bootlegging must stop in Iowa" and from now on sentences for violation of the law will be much heavier.

#### BIG PROFIT IN TOBACCO.

Growers of burley tobacco in Knox county realized close to \$500 an acre for their crop this year. Much enthusiasm is manifest among Knox county farmers over the prospects of big profits in tobacco growing.

It has been fully demonstrated that tobacco can be grown in this county very profitably. A few years ago a Mr. McCormack grew tobacco at Mayland, twelve miles west of Crossville, that brought him as high as 90 cents a pound. The Lynchburg, Va., tobacco firm to whom the tobacco was shipped wrote Mr. McCormack that it was the best tobacco they had handled in twenty years and that during that time they had handled millions of pounds.

#### GOOD IDEA.

"That old fellow has just installed a dictaphone in his office."

"Why's that?"  
"He says all the stenographers were so pretty, he couldn't keep his mind on his business."

## REPUBLICAN CONVENTION AT KNOXVILLE THIS YEAR

Date Not Named, But Likely Some Time in April; Rules Governing County Delegates.

At a recent sitting of the Republican State Committee in Nashville rules were agreed upon for holding the State Convention and the place selected was Knoxville. While the time was not definitely fixed and it is to be decided upon at another meeting of the committee, it is known that the time will not be earlier than April 1; most likely it will be called after the middle of that month.

The rules promulgated for the county conventions for selecting the delegates to the State Convention do not deviate much from former years. Following are the rules.

"To the Republicans of Tennessee: Resolved, by the republican State Executive committee of Tennessee, assembled on Wednesday, Jan. 25, 1922, in the assembly room of the Maxwell House, Nashville, Tennessee, in pursuance of the call of its chairman, Hon. John J. Gore, on the 16th day of January 1922.

#### Dat and Place.

"First, that a delegated republican state convention is hereby called to meet in the city of Knoxville, Tennessee, not earlier than the first day of April, 1922, the date to be later fixed by the state committee, be called for that purpose at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, to be called to order by the chairman of this committee.

#### Purpose of Convention.

"Second, that the said state convention be called for the purpose of promulgating a platform for republican candidates for governor, U. S. senator, railroad and public utilities commissioner for the Western Division of Tennessee, state senators and representatives to be nominated by legal primary election to be held the first Thursday of August, 1922, and to transact any other business that may properly come before it.

#### County Committee Meetings.

"Third, that for the purpose of selecting delegates to said state convention from each of the ninety-five counties of the state the republican voters of their respective counties shall assemble either in mass or delegated convention in accordance with the plan of the respective county committees in their respective court-houses at the county seat or at such other proper place at the county seat as may be designated in the call of the republican county committee, on such date, and under such plans not violative of the state committee call as shall be fixed by the regular republican county committee; for the purpose of fixing the time, place and plan of the county convention, all county committees shall be duly and regularly called together after not less than ten days published notice in at least one newspaper in the county, stating the exact time, place and hour and purpose of said meeting of the county committee, and if there be no newspaper published in said county, then by printed posters to be posted ten days before the date of said county convention in each voting precinct of said county.

#### County Committee Call.

"And it is further expressly provided that each county committee in the state shall promulgate the date, hour, plan and place of the county convention at least two weeks in advance, and shall publish its call for at least ten days in some newspaper published in the county, if there be one, and otherwise published in accordance with this plan, so that each bona fide republican voter of the county, or each accredited delegate, if said convention be a delegated convention, may have due and reasonable notice of the time, hour, place and purpose of said convention and an opportunity to attend and participate in the same if he or she so desires. It is expressly provided that no county convention shall be called earlier than Feb. 25, 1922, or later than March 18, 1922.

#### Majority Rule, Precedure.

Fourth, that said county convention shall proceed to elect, in some definite and fair manner, fully understood and agreed to by an ascertained majority of those present, or if a delegated convention, a majority of the delegates; the number of delegates to which their county is entitled upon the basis herein provided for.

#### Certification of Delegates.

"And it is further provided that after said delegates have been regularly and fairly chosen that they shall be carefully certified in writing by the respective names and postoffices over the signatures of the permanent chairman and secretary of the county convention and said written credential shall be mailed to Hon. W. F. Appleby, secretary of the republican state committee, Lexington, Tennessee, within five days after the date of the said county convention and said secretary of the state committee shall deliver all of said credentials in their original form, together with his reasonable tabulations and arrangements for convenience, to the republican state committee, which committee is directed to convene at the Farragut Hotel, Knoxville, Tennessee on the date fixed



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by the chairman within three days prior to the state convention herein called and make up the temporary roll of said state convention and place thereon the names of all delegates properly and regularly certified by the permanent chairman and secretary of the county conventions, and none other.

#### Who Calls County Rallies.

"Fifth, that the chairman, and, in his absence or failure to act, the vice-chairman or the secretary of the county committees and in absence of the chairman, vice-chairman and secretary, after the lapse of thirty minutes of the designated hour, any member of the county committee shall call the convention to order in his county, after such due, orderly and proper public announcement as will enable every republican voter or accredited delegate, if such convention be a delegated convention, who may be present in, at or near the courthouse or meeting place to attend the meeting and personally take part in the same, if he or she so wishes; and it is provided that said convention shall be conducted with full and generous regard for the rights of each and every republican voter and free from any snap judgment or action of any kind, either in committee meeting or general convention, and unless otherwise agreed Roberts Rules of Order shall determine all parliamentary questions that may arise in any said county meeting.

#### State Chairman Acts.

"Sixth, That the chairman of the state committee shall, after proper announcement, call the state convention to order at the time and place appointed herein and be governed by the principles of parliamentary law, giving always ample opportunity for the convention to express its free will and purpose in an orderly manner, and unless otherwise agreed, Roberts' Rules of Order shall determine all parliamentary questions arising in said convention.

#### Ineligible Delegates.

"Seventh, That no delegate shall be deemed eligible to be placed on the temporary roll of said state convention who was not elected within the dates and time and in the manner herein provided for or who was elected in violation of this call or the rules of the republican party of the state heretofore duly enacted by a republican state convention and now in full force and effect.

#### Contests Time Limitation.

"Eight, That all notices of contests shall be filed by the contestant with the secretary of the state committee within ten days after the alleged election of the contestant, and any such notice shall be submitted in writing and accompanied by a brief written or printed statement of the contestant under oath, setting forth the grounds of the contest, which said notice and accompanying papers shall be by the secretary of the state committee filed with the state committee upon its assembling as aforesaid in the same manner as it is herein provided as to the filing of the credentials of the delegates, except as to the time; and each contestant shall also furnish his contestee within the same time or not more than ten days after contestant's alleged election, a copy of his said notice of contest and a copy of his said sworn statement provided to be filed with the secretary of the state committee.

#### Publishing Call.

"Ninth, That the chairman and secretary of the state committee are directed to print in attractive and convenient pamphlet form and promulgate this call by sending a printed copy thereof by mail to each chairman and secretary and each member of each republican county committee of the state; and said officers are also hereby directed to send a copy of said printed call to each daily and weekly paper in the state with the request that the same be published in the first succeeding issue thereof, for the information of their readers.

#### Vote of Each County.

"Tenth, That each county shall have one vote in said convention for each 200 votes, and majority fraction thereof, over 50 cast for Governor A. A. Taylor for governor in 1920, which gives to each of said counties the number of votes in said state convention printed opposite the respective counties. It is expressly provided that each county shall have at least one vote in the state convention. The chairman and secretary of the state committee are directed to figure out on the foregoing basis of representation from the total vote cast in each county and precinct opposite the respective county the number of votes each is entitled to in the state convention, subject to correction by the

## PLEASANT HILL

The monthly meeting of the Athenaeum was held at the Academy Friday night with the following program: Duet, Miss Tallmadge and Georgie Ramsey.

Prayer.  
Current Events, Willie Barker.  
Songs: High school.

"We are Seven" dialog presented by high school students and little folks from Miss Lea's room.

Farce "Wanted, a Wife" members of the high school.

Illustrated song, "The Owl and the Pussycat" John Wilson, Cecil Faulkner, William Johnson and Earl Duggar.

"Crazola Victrola."

Tom Hale, of Sparta, spent the week-end with friends in town.

Ray Clouse spent the week-end with friends in Crossville.

Friends of Beecher Dumps spent the week-end with him at school.

The full house which gathers for the Sunday preaching service testifies to our appreciation of our pastor's effort, and his weekly trips in spite of the bad roads.

#### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

On the 6th. day of January, 1922, I was appointed Administrator of John Turner, deceased, by the County Court of Cumberland County, Tennessee. He lived about three miles eastward from Crossville, Tennessee, and died at his home October 17, 1921.

All persons holding claims of any kind against the estate of said deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, proven according to law, with the County Court Clerk, of said county within one year from the publication of this notice. Claims not filed within said time will come too late and will not be paid, being barred by law.

Also all persons owing anything to said estate are notified to come and pay the same to me.

This January 10, 1922.

T. F. BROWN,

Administrator.

J. W. Dorton, Atty. 1-11-4t.

## GRASSY COVE

Rev. James Baker preached at the M. E. church Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tollett, a fine boy bearing the name of Henry Clyde. Mother and child doing well.

Mrs. N. M. Hartman, who has been confined to her room for the past ten days, is slowly improving.

Mrs. J. B. Loden is very sick with something like grippe.

Blanche Ford spent the week-end with home folks. She is attending school at Jewett this winter.

A. C. Kemmer was in Crossville last week.

W. B. Andrews and R. E. Ford were Crab Orchard visitors Saturday.

Floyd Wilson was in the Cove last week on business.

Jan. 30. Coveite.

#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

The legislature of 1921 enacted a law requiring both men and women between the ages of 21 and 50 to pay a poll tax for school purposes. Therefore, I am required to be as diligent in collecting this tax from women as from men, as the law applies in its enforcement the same to one as to the other.

The time for paying 1921 taxes without penalty is March 1, 1922.  
T. F. BROWN, Trustee.

#### THEATER ROOF COLLAPSES WITH HEAVY WEIGHT OF SNOW.

The Knickerbocker Theater roof collapsed with the excessive weight of snow Saturday night and 108 persons were killed and 134 injured. The loss would have been much greater but for the fact that a severe storm was raging and the usual Saturday attendance was much reduced. The roof was covered with two feet of snow and the structure was unable to sustain the heavy load.

Every meet the man or woman who gives you unsolicited advice and then gets mad if you don't take it?

## WATERMAN FOUNTAIN PENS

If you have never used a fountain pen, you do not know what you have missed in pen comfort and convenience. If you have used a fountain pen, you very likely know that WATERMAN is the last word in fountain pens. A good stock of them on hand all the time at the CHRONICLE OFFICE.

state convention.  
"Recommended for adoption by the committee on resolutions.

"Hal H. CLEMENTS,

"Chairman.

"A. T. DRINNEN.

"MRS. J. C. BARNES.

"MRS. A. C. HAYES.

"A. V. McLAIN.

"R. Q. LILLARD.

"R. S. HOPKINS."